CITY OF NORWAY NORWAY, MICHIGAN MARCH 16, 2020 REGULAR MEETING

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MEETING
The City Council of the City of Norway met in Regular Session, Monday,
March 2, 2020 at the Norway City Hall, in the Curtis J. Bracket Council
Chambers with Mayor Brew presiding.

PLEDGE OF City Mayor led the Council and the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance to the ALLEGIANCE Flag of the United States of America.

ROLL CALL Members present were: Brew, Kraemer, Meneghini, and Muraro

ALSO
Ray Anderson, City Manager; Grant Carlson, City Attorney; Mary Pollard, City
PRESENT
Treasurer; Trisha Plante, City Clerk; Dave Bal, DPW/Water Foreman; Scott
Klabunde; HCMS; Jason, Morgan, Dickinson Trail Network (DTN); The Daily
News; and one (1) citizens present.

APPROVE 20-061 A motion was made by Council Member Muraro, supported by Council Member AGENDA Popp and unanimously approved regular meeting agenda for March 16, 2020.

APPROVE 20-062 A motion was made by Council Member Muraro, supported by Council Member MINUTES Popp and unanimously approved Regular Meeting Minutes of March 2, 2020, and Special Meeting Minutes of March 3, 2020.

A motion was made by Council Member Meneghini, supported by Council Member Popp and unanimously approved manifest 2020-06 in the amount of \$509,629.33.

MANAGER
REVIEW OF

City Manager reviewed with Council previous manifest questions.

QUESTIONS

PUBLIC None.

COMMENT ON

AGENDA ITEMS

APPROVE 20-063

MANIFEST

PREVIOUS MANIFEST

SECOND READING Ordinance # 435 – Snowmobiles – City Manager and City Attorney reviewed ORDINANCE # 435 ordinance language. Council agreed to schedule a public hearing in the near SNOWMOBILES future.

APPROVE 20-064 A motion was made by Council Member Meneghini, to approve request by the DTN BIKE TRAILS Dickinson Trail Network (DTN) to build a single track bike trails on City PROPERTY

ON CITY property. Motion fails for lack of support.

City Council would like to have contingencies put in place prior to approval.

- Mine Inspector to be contacted regarding fencing (agreement)
- Signage Location markers, footages, etc. for emergency personnel
- Liability Volunteers (agreement/waiver)
- Agreements Conservation District (Myr/Wetland) DNR, & DEQ

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APPROVE 20-065 A motion was made by Council Member Muraro, supported by Council STUGEON FALLS Member Kraemer and unanimously approved HCMS to develop and manage **HYDRO ASSET** an Asset Management Plan for the Sturgeon Falls Hydro for a cost not to exceed **MANAGEMENT** \$15,000 (items 1-3). **PROGRAM** APPROVE 20-066 A motion was made by Council Member Kraemer, supported by Council **DPW STEAMER** Member Meneghini and unanimously approved Champion Charter to provide **PURCHASE** a steamer to the City of Norway for a price not to exceed \$17,907.05. AUDIENCE None. **COMMENT** Popp – Reminded residents to take the COVID-19 seriously and to think of COUNCIL **COMMENT** others. Muraro – Thanked recent retiree Tim Brew for his years of service and reminded residents to stay vigilant and not to panic. Meneghini – Discussed the tree sales being low and that he would be in favor of residents buying trees to place in their yards (front yards) not just on boulevards. Primary election had a good turn-out, and wished happy Saint Urho's Day, and St. Patrick's Day. First Day of Spring, March 19th and National Veterans of War Day, March 29th (Norway lost 3 sons). Brew – Thanked T. Brew for years of service and reminded residents to be safe during this COVID-19).

STAFF City Manager and City Attorney addressed Council Comments.

ADJOURN 20-067

COMMENT

A motion was made by Council Member Kraemer, supported by Council Member Popp and unanimously approved to adjourn regular meeting.

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Candy Brew, Mayor

Trisha Plante, City Clerk